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October '18 - March '19

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October 11th, 1918.

James L. Ross Esq.,
National Trust Chambers
20 King St., East
Toronto

My dear Mr Ross:

I have just written to President Tory about your son and have forwarded your letter to him, asking him to do what he can. Would you be kind enough to ask your son also to correspond with President Tory and mention my name. President Tory's address is #31 Bedford Square, London, W. C. I, England.

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 7th, 1918

J. L. Ross, Esq.,
National Trust Chambers,
Toronto.

My dear Mr. Ross:

I am very glad to get your letter enclosing the one from Mr. Powell. I quite agree with you that we should endeavour to save a year for any one who have come home. If Mr. McEwen will come to see me at once I will go into his case with him, and as you say it is essential that he should lose no time. After having had a talk with him I will be able to have somewhat more exact information as to what we can do in regard to others who are in the same class.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

November 22nd, 1918.

J. L. Ross, Esq.,
20 King Street East,
Toronto.

Dear Mr. Ross:

I have this morning received a letter from Lt.-Colonel Frank F. Jones, Deputy Director of the Khaki University, in answer to mine saying that we had written to Gunner C. Leith Ross enclosing one of the smaller calendars of the Khaki University and inviting him to enrol himself as a student, giving full directions as to exactly what steps he should take, and giving him a cordial welcome should he desire to take academic work with them.

I hope that this will be found to be satisfactory.

Yours sincerely,

President.

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National Trust Chambers 20 King St. East

Toronto, Canada,

28th February, 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer, K.C.M.G.,
University of Toronto,
Toronto.

My dear Sir Robert:-

Douglas and I had a talk with Mr. Hodder Williams the day we saw you last and since that time Douglas has had a further interview with him. He has also talked with other members of the staff and has come to the conclusion that the only course open which he has patience to follow is to enter the University as an occasional student specializing in English and Modern History. These subjects specially appeal to him and to me they seem as useful as any other to fit him for the legal profession. He cannot be persuaded to look forward to a brush up course during the summer of 1919 followed by four years of regular Arts Studies. He will not be required to attend lectures at Osgoode Hall for two years yet and can devote his energies mainly to the special lines of study above mentioned.

One regrets that such a course of study does not lead to any degree or to any standing in the University but as the main thing is to get the best education possible under all the circumstances I am quite content that he shall follow this course. I am well aware that the success of the plan will depend upon his own enthusiasm for these studies and that there will be no spur from the outside to keep him going. However, if his enthusiasm flags, the question can be further considered.

I suppose there will be no difficulty in securing permission to begin attendance at lectures immediately. If there is a summer course, he would like also to attend the lectures in that course.

Yours very sincerely,

James Ross

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March 4th, 1912

J. L. Ross, Esq.,
20 King Street East,
Toronto.

Dear Mr. Ross:

I have spoken to the Registrar and do not think there will be any difficulty in the way of your son getting permission to take lectures at once as he wishes. I think it a pity that he does not take the longer course, but of course a young man after having gone through so much is naturally restless.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.